Police arrest driver for crushing man to death during confrontation in Lagos

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THE police in Lagos State have arrested a driver, Okeke (surname withheld) for killing a 33- year-old man. William Wisdom, at Ikoyi area of the state.

This is just as the police

have also arrested five suspected criminals, including traffic robbers, and recovered arms and ammunition from them in different parts of the state.

The suspect and the deceased man were reportedly engaged in a heated argument over a yet-to-be identified issue when Okeke jumped into his vehicle and crushed the deceased to death.

The Force Public Relations Officer (FPRO), Olumuyiwa Adejobi, confirmed the arrest of the driver in a statement he made available to the Nigerian Tribune.

Adejobi said: "On February 5, the Ikoyi Division in Lagos State received reports regarding a violent confrontation between two individuals, Okeke (surname withheld) and William Wisdom

(33) at Falomo Square, Ikoyi.

"Following a heated argument, Okeke allegedly rammed his Lexus saloon car into William, inflicting severe injuries on him.

"William was rushed to Gbagada General Hospital, where he later succumbed to his injuries.

"A team of detectives visited the scene and the deceased was taken to IDH morgue in Yaba for an autopsy.

"The suspect has been apprehended and is currently in police custody."